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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned patent application on May 11, 2005, applicants submit the following Remarks.

Applicants wish to draw the Examiner's attention to the following exhibits submitted herewith: Exhibit A, Neumeyer et al., *Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry Letters* 11:2735 (2001); and Exhibit B, Neumeyer et al., *Journal of Medicinal Chemistry* 43:114 (2000).